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## SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 29, 2003, please amend the aboveidentified U.S. patent application as follows:

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| AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Small Entity) Applicant(s): MARK S. FRATER   |            |              |                      |             |                            |            | Docket No. RES2000.14A |   |  |
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| Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.  Small Entity status of this application has been established under 37 CFR 1.27 by a verified statement previously submitted.  A verified statement to establish Small Entity status under 37 FR 1.27 is enclosed.  The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.   |            |              |                      |             |                            |            |                        |   |  |
| CLAIMS AS AMENDED  |            |              |                      |             |                            |            |                        |   |  |
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| No additional fee is required for amendment.  Please charge Deposit Account No. in the amount of A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.  A check in the amount of to cover the filing fee is enclosed.  The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.  Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.  Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.  Dated: JUNE 2, 2003  JOHN P-O'BANION, REG. NO. 33,201  O'BANION & RITCHEY LLP  Joertify that this document and fee is being deposited on with the U.S. Postal Service as |            |              |                      |             |                            |            |                        |   |  |
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I hereby certify that the foregoing <u>Transmittal of Amendment (Page 1)</u> is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on <u>June 2, 2003</u> in an envelope as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" Mailing Label Number <u>EV352306749US</u> addressed to the: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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